

Table 23.10-- CHARACTERISTICS OF SHOPPING MALLS: 1997 TO 2000

Subject	1997	1998	1999	2000
Number of shopping centers	186	186	188	194
Leasable retail area (million square feet)	19.4	19.4	19.6	20.2
Adults shopping in centers (Monthly in millions)	0.8	0.8	0.8	1/ 0.8
Retail sales (billions of dollars)	3.34	3.37	3.54	3.75

1/ Hawaii ranked 41st among the 50 states.

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